



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
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EXAMINING GROUP 2171
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In re the Application of:

Hiroshi TSUDA

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Group Art Unit: 2171

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Examiner: Etienne Pierre LeRoux

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This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 15, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on June 15, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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